

JOHNSON

James Miller is home from Barre.
J. V. Barton is able to be out again.
S. A. Griswold and help are working in Eden.
Sabin Hodges passed Saturday in Jeffersonville.
Emery Mills has installed a telephone in his house.
D. A. Barrows left Monday night for a trip to Boston.
J. D. Corley passed Sunday at his home in Orleans.
Miss Etta Waters is home from her school in South Troy.
Joseph Nye is agent in this vicinity for the Indian Motorcycle.
Misses Luella and Arlie Darling passed Saturday in Morrisville.
Mrs. Ed Parker was home from Barre for Nora's commencement.
Charles Redstone has employment for the summer with D. A. Barrows.
Prescott Stearns of Waterville was in town the latter part of last week.
Miss Beulah Dodge of No. Hyde Park has been passing several days in town.
Mrs. Sarah Collins and daughter, Dorothy, were in Hyde Park Saturday.
Miss Sarah Ranney of Wolcott has been a recent guest at Lewis Lambert's.
Geo. Romey and family and C. H. Cutting of Fairfax were in town over Sunday.
Miss Amy Perry is home from her school in Richford, where she has taught one year.
Harry S. Griswold attended the Stackpole-Ladd wedding at St. Johnsbury last Thursday.
Gaylon Munn, who has a position at Neponset, Mass., is at home for a ten days' visit.

George Young, who has been guest of Miss Ruby Parker, left last week for his home in Ravensmore, N. B.

Lewis West has finished work for the American Milling Co., where he ran the mill engine for about three years.

J. B. Partlow and family of Hardwick and Miss Ida Hoyt of Morrisville were guests at J. H. Partlow's Sunday.

The regular meeting of the O. E. S. will be held Friday evening. There will be initiation work and refreshments will be served.

Mrs. L. W. Fletcher passed Monday and Tuesday in Burlington with her daughters, Mrs. Irving Potter and Mrs. Harold Sweet.

Mrs. Fred Carr of St. Johnsbury and Mrs. E. J. Joslyn and daughter, Joice, of Waterville, are at Miss Mabel Austin's for commencement.

Mr. and Mrs. Delbert Barnard and Mrs. Chas. Thomas of Proctor have been recent guests of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Barnard and Mr. and Mrs. Chester Saunders.

Rev. Mr. Washburn, Dist. Supt. of the Pentecostal churches of New England, was a guest of Rev. Elmer Gallup last week and held a special service at the Pentecostal church last Tuesday evening.

Misses Muriel Peck, Helen Collins and Lillian Sargent came home from Waterville, where they have been teaching the past year, for the High School Commencement.

The Boy Scouts expect to play ball at Jeffersonville next Saturday. Next Monday they are planning a two days' hike, either northward on the proposed route of the Long Trail or to Smugglers' Notch and Mount Mansfield.

On Saturday, June 24th, will be sold at auction the farm and personal property belonging to the estate of A. N. Dodge. B. D. Pollard is the administrator and the opportunity is a good one for bargains. See posters for full particulars.

Walter Scott, who came here last week from Mansouville, N. H., with his wife and little daughter to visit Mrs. Scott's mother, Mrs. Will Hayford, at East Johnson, was taken seriously ill the last of the week and died Tuesday morning. The remains will be taken to Mansouville for burial. His age was 31 years.

Normal Commencement

A class of eighty will be presented by Dr. A. G. Peaks for graduation on June 14, at the Johnson Normal School. This is the largest class in the history of the school and Dr. Peaks deserves great credit for his work there. In three years the graduating class has grown from 24 to 80; in spite of a great deal of tampering with things educational. It is to be regretted that he is soon to leave the school.

To Close Season With Hard Games

Johnson High School is closing her baseball season with three hard games, Middlebury High School, who has challenged any preparatory school team in the state, will play at Johnson on Thursday June 15. On Saturday, Johnson will meet Orleans High at Orleans, and on Monday June 19, Johnson High and Proctor High will probably meet in Burlington. Proctor and Middlebury have the best records of any teams in the southern part of the state thus far. Johnson and Bellows Free Academy seem to have things pretty much their own way in the northern part of the state, though St. Albans High School could have well been added to the list two weeks ago. The games with Johnson and Bellows Free which Middlebury plays this week should go a good way then toward determining whether the championship will go to the northern or the southern part of the state.

With good practice the first of the

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week, the Johnson team is expected to come back into fielding form again. Pounding to the fielding form shown on the Montpelier-Barre trip, combined with their consistent hitting and a trio of pitchers like Sylvester, Gonyea and Mobbs, they are a dangerous proposition.

Wins Again From Brigham

In the most peculiar game of baseball played this year, Johnson High School defeated Brigham Academy at Bakersfield Monday by a score of 15 to 13. The contest was considerably more interesting than the score would indicate, however, as the errors were largely caused by a field as slippery as a skating rink. The blue team slid around helplessly for four innings, and Brigham took advantage of the situation by piling up 11 runs, while Pomeroy's good pitching with the wet ball kept Johnson from crossing the plate more than 4 times. In the sixth inning Johnson broke loose, nearly batted around twice, secured a base on balls, and nine clean hits, some of them for extra bases, netting nine runs, and drove Pomeroy from the box. Mobbs, pitching for Johnson, tightened after the fourth inning and held Brigham safely, allowing in that time only three hits, scattered.

The only marked feature of the game was Johnson's rather spectacular sixth inning rally. The line up:—

Johnson High	Brigham High
Nye, 2b	Clapp, 2b
Stiles, ss	Hawley, 1f
Mobbs, p	Sloan, 3b
Bailey, 3b	Potter, ss
Gonyea, 1b	G. McCullin, rf
Waterman, lf	R. McCullin, c
Barrows, p	Pomeroy, rf
Sylvester, cf	Coburn, cf
Westover, c	Farrell, 1b

The contested 7-6 game between Johnson and Brigham at Johnson week before last, has been given to Johnson.

Middlebury High School, which plays at Johnson Thursday, places much confidence in Epstein, their star twirler. Epstein has not faced so good a hitting team as Johnson this year. The game will be called at 3:30 and should draw the biggest crowd of the season. It is the last home game.

Congregational Church

The monthly missionary meeting will be held Thursday afternoon at Mrs. Seth Hill's.

Two "Go-to-Church" bands of twenty members each have been formed among the young people under the leadership of Lloyd Fullington and Norm Scott.

At the Children's Day service Sunday morning three children were baptized, the Junior choir sang "The Lord is My Shepherd", Dr. Peaks told a short story, entitled "A Basket of Chips", and the pastor had a short talk on "Fun."

At the Union Normal baccalaureate service Sunday evening, Rev. H. F. Lowe of St. Johnsbury gave the large congregation an inspiring message on: "Poor, Yet Making Many Rich."

"The Mikado"

Johnson High School opened her commencement week last Tuesday evening with a presentation of "The Mikado", Gilbert and Sullivan's great comic opera. The performance went beyond the fondest expectations of those who were staging the production, and it was a tremendous success from start to finish. Both the principals and the chorus were exceedingly good, as were the costumes, the make-ups and the scenery.

Special mention should be made of the work of Harold Parady as Ko-Ko, the Lord High Executioner. From the time he entered with much ado in the first act, with the chorus roaring "Behold the Lord High Executioner" until his fearful explanation of his actions to the Mikado before the chorus began "He's Gone and Married Yum-Yum", he had the audience in paroxysms of laughter. He was especially good in his rendition of the famous "Tit-Willow."

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STOWE

A. B. Alger was at home from Wolcott over Sunday.

Paul Kaymond was a visitor in Montpelier Monday.

Mrs. A. C. Aiken is visiting relatives in North Troy.

J. L. Stafford visited Burlington relatives last week.

Henry Drugg of Proctorsville is spending a few days with his mother.

Dr. and Mrs. P. E. McSweeney of Burlington are visiting Stowe relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. George Sanborn are moving to their new home on Sunset street.

Miss Inez Ayers has gone to Thompson's Point, where she has work for the summer.

E. N. and Frank Bailey and their wives were visitors in Albany a day or two the first of the week.

Harry Russ, who graduated from the High school last week, has a position in H. E. Shaw's store.

Mr. and Mrs. John Foster have returned from a visit with their children in Springfield, Mass.

Mr. and Mrs. William H. Grounds of Boston are visiting Mr. Grounds' mother, Mrs. A. J. Chaffee.

Misses Glenn Nutting, Mary Stebbins and Mary Shaw have positions in a summer hotel at Saranac Lake.

Mrs. Inez Scribner and son, Russell, of Biddeford, Me., are with Mrs. Scribner's mother, Mrs. N. R. Moody.

Mr. and Mrs. C. H. A. Stafford and Miss Eloise Stafford of Morrisville spent Sunday with relatives here.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Luce went Saturday to Winoski, where Mrs. Luce will have treatment at the Fanny Allen Hospital.

Orlo E. Luce left Sunday night to attend the democratic convention at St. Louis to which he is a State delegate.

Silas Stowell went last Saturday to the Fanny Allen Hospital to receive treatment for a bad case of facial erysipelas.

Mr. and Mrs. L. H. Straw and family, who have returned from Franklin, Pa., are stopping at the home of Mr. Straw's father, H. E. Straw.

Mrs. Alma Smith and granddaughter, Ruth Macutchan, went Friday to Providence, R. I., where they will visit relatives for a few weeks.

Miss Emily Stickney, financial secretary of the Kurn Hattin Home at Westminster, was a business visitor in town the first of the week.

Fish and Game Commissioner Titcomb has purchased 100,000 trout fry from the Lake Mansfield hatchery and these will be distributed over the state.

Mrs. H. D. Sparrow and daughter, Mrs. Dorothy, of Bellows Falls have been guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. S. E. Stickney on West Branch the past week.

C. G. Town and daughter, Lula, and Mr. and Mrs. Will Sweetzer returned Monday from a six weeks' camping trip through Vermont, Maine and New Hampshire.

Canadian papers speak of the terrible cutting up of the Montreal Rifles in the recent fighting near Ypres. This is the regiment in which Frank Robinson, formerly of Stowe, is an officer.

Mrs. Julia Irving and son, C. Edward Irving, returned Saturday to Thompson's Point, after spending a week with their uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. F. E. Smith. Wesley has accompanied them home.

Mrs. J. C. Morgan, Miss Helen and Walter Morgan, Mrs. A. B. Straw and H. W. Best motored to Winoski Saturday, calling upon friends at the Fanny Allen Hospital and also upon Mrs. Straw's son, T. Alden Straw, of the Norwich University troops at Fort Ethan Allen.

Miss Marjorie Watts went Monday to Springfield, Mass., to meet her sister, Mrs. W. W. Houston, and children, Arlys, Gerald, Maurice and Burton, of Cleveland, Ohio, who will pass the summer with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Watts. They will arrive in Stowe Tuesday afternoon.

Carl S. Robinson died about five o'clock Sunday afternoon at his home at Moscow after a long illness with diabetes. The funeral will be held at the house at two o'clock Wednesday afternoon. Mr. Robinson was 62 years of age. He passed the most of his life at

Chateaugay, N. Y., his native town. He came to Stowe about a year ago from Ludlow, where he had lived several years. He leaves his wife and three children. Mrs. George F. Adams and Elmer R. Robinson of Moscow and Curtis B. Robinson of Ludlow, who has been called here by his father's illness, and also a brother, Bert Robinson of Lyon Mountain, N. Y., and two sisters, Mrs. Charles Hulbert of Waterbury and Mrs. Frank Hulbert of Ticonderoga, New York.

Mrs. Edith Balch Wright, field secretary of the State Sunday School association, began Monday afternoon on the work of taking the religious census of Stowe. Each family will be visited and their religious preferences ascertained, and the results will be placed in the hands of the different pastors. This work has proved of much benefit in other places. The co-operation of all interested is solicited. Mrs. Wright spoke at the four churches in Stowe during the day Sunday and conducted the services at the Methodist Episcopal Church in the evening. The Rev. E. L. Goddard, pastor of the church, preached the first of a series of eight sermons Sunday morning upon "Social Science: The Crisis of the Times." The subject next Sunday will be "Why This Condition." Mr. Goddard will preach a sermon Sunday evening to the Stowe High School graduates of 1916, who have each had a special invitation to be present.

The events of graduation week closed with the annual alumni reunion and banquet at the Akeley Memorial Building Friday evening. There was an attendance of 50. The ladies of Unity church served the banquet. A literary program carried out with Roy D. Robinson, toastmaster, included addresses by the president, G. W. Gale, Winford E. Heath for the class of 1916, Raeburn R. McMahon for absent alumni, Principal N. J. English, Superintendent C. D. Howe and the Hon. Mason S. Stone, who was a visitor in Stowe over night. Officers elected were:—President, Roy D. Robinson; vice president, Clyde Nelson; secretary and treasurer, Miss Ruth McMahon; executive committee, Mrs. Amber Macutchan, Gale W. Shaw and Miss Helen Morgan. The alumni prizes for the best essays by the graduating pupils were awarded as follows:—First prize, Miss Myra Campbell; second, Harry J. Russ. Fourteen new members were added to the association.

WOLCOTT

George Boardman is now employed on the section.

C. W. Humphrey was home from Danville over Sunday.

Archie Fisher was a business visitor in Morrisville Tuesday.

Jerry Bieconner was a business visitor in Morrisville Monday.

Archie Richardson is in Worcester, working for Bert May.

J. M. Golden of Albany was a guest at Peter Golden's over Sunday.

Mrs. H. B. Parker is visiting her sister, Mrs. Allen Pike, in Craftsbury.

Miss Leafie King was a visitor in Craftsbury the first of the week.

Misses Merle and Winifred Silloway were visitors in Morrisville Tuesday.

Allen Pike, wife and son of Craftsbury were guests at Henry King's Sunday.

An infant daughter arrived in the home of Nelson Grant the first of the week.

Miss Ethel Taylor was home from Burlington Business College over Sunday.

R. M. Hubbell and wife were visitors at M. B. Eaton's in Morrisville Sunday.

Webster Hale and wife of Richford were guests over Sunday at G. T. Allen's.

W. C. Gould and family of Inesburgh were visitors at Wesley Gould's Sunday.

Willis Cleveland and family of Springfield, Mass., are visiting friends in town for a few days.

H. H. Parker has concluded his engagement with Almon Bedell in Elmore and returned home.

Mrs. Ethel Reed of St. Johnsbury passed Sunday here with her mother, Mrs. Horace Woodmansee.

Mrs. S. A. Jackson, housekeeper for Charles Luther, left for Whitman, Mass., Friday, called there by the illness of her son.

W. S. Silloway, H. A. and H. B. Parker and G. L. Preman are in attendance upon the Grand Lodge at Burlington this week.

L. E. Taylor of this town and Miss Bessie Johnson of Lancaster, N. H., were united in marriage at Lancaster last Friday. They are expected to arrive here this week to reside.

Waterville

Homer Stearns was in Johnson last week.

Mrs. Elba Stockwell is visiting in Johnson.

Eugene Tillotson has returned to St. Johnsbury.

Henry Smilie is attending Commencement at Bakersfield.

Mrs. Phoebe Church was a recent visitor in Jeffersonville.

Mrs. Laura Stearns of Johnson is the guest of her son, F. N. Stearns.

Dr. Scott and family of Johnson were guests at C. B. Taylor's Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Stearns of Johnson visited at F. N. Stearns' over Sunday.

Mrs. Lucy Leach of Hyde Park is visiting her mother, Mrs. Martha Russell.

L. E. Tillotson and wife and Arthur Langdell and wife were in Burlington last week.

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Cady's Falls

Miss Vivian Douglass was a visitor at Oscar Sherwin's Sunday.

Erwin Terrill and family were visitors at A. N. Terrill's Sunday.

Mrs. Ada Smith is visiting her sister, Miss Fannie Towle, in Wolcott.

Miss Grace Ellsworth was a visitor at P. C. Brigham's last Sunday.

Everett Calkins and family took a trip to Caspian Lake last Sunday.

Joseph Sherman and wife were visitors in Lyndonville the past week.

Mrs. Edith Bumpus and son from Calais were guests at Joseph Sherman's the past week.

Brainard Mudgett and wife and Henry Mudgett were guests of Mrs. Dalia Mudgett last Sunday.

Geo. Robinson and son from Waterbury and Chas. Horner from Jeffersonville were recent guests at P. C. Brigham's.

Leo Bullard and wife, Chas. Miner and wife and Mrs. Henry Jones were in Waterbury the past week, going in Leo's new Maxwell.

East Cambridge

Ralph Nye has a new Indian motor cycle.

Alden Manchester has purchased a Ford car.

Sara Nye visited friends in Burlington the first of the week.

Henry Moiles and family of Johnson spent Sunday at N. J. Nye's.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Lanon and three children of Burlington passed Sunday with her sister, Mrs. A. F. Rousseau.

W. H. Nye and family of Johnson visited his brother N. J. Nye, Sunday.

L. E. Tatro and wife and Harry Rice and family visited friends in Enosburg Falls, Sunday.

F. E. Putnam has taken Erwin Melendy's village farm, and moved to Jeffersonville last week.

C. L. Demeritt has sold his home farm to Bert Reynolds of Jeffersonville and gone to Burlington.

J. H. Mudgett and family and Mrs. Emily Coddington of Morrisville spent Friday at Henry Manchester's.

Messrs. A. J. and J. A. Rusterholz have taken possession of the Putnam farm and commenced making cheese.

Mr. and Mrs. F. H. Fullington and Mr. and Mrs. Earl Fullington of Jeffersonville visited Mrs. C. N. Morse and family in Bakersfield, Sunday.

Bert Reynolds of Jeffersonville has been cutting timber on the Demeritt farm and F. H. Heath's farm. He is soon to put up a mill on the Putnam farm.

Wm. B. Brooks and Azel Brooks and wife went to Rochester, Friday. The diamond drill was shipped Thursday, and labor is suspended for a time at the tale mine.

Ober Hill
Orel Currier is at home from his school in Johnson.

Fred Jones of Eden is working for A. W. Lanpher.

What is North Hyde Park's loss is Ober Hill's gain.

A lady "detective" has been stopping at John Bidwell's.

Harry Foss of Hyde Park was on the Hill Tuesday with a new 1916 Maxwell car.

Harold Baker has finished work for R. G. Currier and is working for B. C. Lambert.

St. Andrews of Burlington and Bert Williams of North Hyde Park was on the Hill Monday to demonstrate the Metz car.

Send this paper to your absent friend. It is better than a letter.

Elmore

Mrs. Anna Pease recently spent several days in Fairfax.

Miss Elmira J. Lacasse of Winoski is visiting at Napoleon Gaboriault's.

The children of the Pond school entertained about 80 people Friday evening.

Mrs. Anna Jackson returned to Morrisville Monday after several days' visit in town.

Mrs. Charles Wilkins of Wolcott visited her mother, Mrs. D. A. Shanley, last week.

Miss Mae Smith, Harold Smith and Charles Weeks of Hardwick visited at D. A. Shanley's, Sunday.

Mrs. Ursula Russell and two children of Johnson have been visiting her sisters, Mrs. Charles Peo and Mrs. Willard Hastings.

Part of the Children's Day exercises of the Methodist Sunday School of Morrisville were listened to by an appreciative audience at the Elmore church Sunday.

The wedding of Miss Cecile Clonartre of Farnham, Can., and Stanislas Gaboriault of Newport occurred May 30. They arrived at Francois Boudreau's that evening. A reception was given in their honor May 31 at the home of Francois Boudreau. Mr. Gaboriault formerly lived in town.

Miss Elmira Lacasse of Winoski and Miss Rhine Gaboriault while on their way fishing last Wednesday met a porcupine. Miss Lacasse threw a stone at the animal and knocked him over, then between them they killed him with sticks and stones. Then they wended their way to Lake Elmore, where they had the porcupine weighed, his weight being 15 pounds.

The Gypsies' Festival was very picturesque. The clothes of red and green and the spruce trees made anyone think of a real gypsy camp. All that was lacking was the campfire. The exercises and recitations received a goodly amount of attention, especially the promenade, repeated by request from the exhibition last winter. The Suffrage Convention kept the audience in an uproar all the while as the young ladies were lecturing for their rights but the climax was reached when the young husbands with hitch ropes about their necks and pushing miniature baby carts were led across the stage by the small girls.

The sacrifices that the Canadian's are making for the Mother country are indicated by a casual report which announces the wounding of Captain Nevin of Ontario, the only original officer of the famous Princess Patricia's regiment, who is now alive.

Estate of Lillie L. Slayton

STATE OF VERMONT
District of Lamoille, ss

To the heirs and persons interested in the estate of Lillie A. Slayton, late of Stowe, in said District,

GREETING:

WHEREAS Application has been made to this Court in writing, by the trustee of said Lillie L. Slayton, praying for license and authority to sell a part of the real estate of said ward, to wit:

The John Smith home in the village of "Moscow" consisting of one acre of land and buildings thereon, representing to said Court that it would be beneficial to the heirs and all persons interested in the estate to sell said real estate and convert the same into money.

And bringing into Court the consent and approval in writing of all the heirs to said estate residing in this State, and setting forth the situation of the real estate.

Whereupon, the said Court appointed and assigned the 31 day of July, 1916, at the Probate Office in Hyde Park, in said district, to hear and decide upon said application and petition, and ordered public notice thereof to be given to all persons interested therein by publishing said order, together with the time and place of hearing, three weeks successively in the News and Citizen, a newspaper which circulates in the neighborhood of those persons interested in said estate, all which publications shall be previous to the day assigned for hearing.

Therefore, you are hereby notified to appear before said Court, at the time and place assigned, then and there in said Court to make your objections to the granting of such license, if you see cause.

Given under my hand at Hyde Park, in said district, this 12th day of June, 1916.

NOYES G. WOOD, Judge.